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Sir

Responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed November 21, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following Amendments and Remarks:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2;
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.